

YEAR: 1958

MAKE: Bear

MODEL: Polar

HAND: Right

DRAW WEIGHT: 42#

AMO LENGTH: 64"

PRICE: \$159.00

SHIPPING & HANDLING: \$39.00

TOTAL COST: \$198.00

DESCRIPTION: This is a restored 1958 +/- Bear Polar. It was stripped and refinished. I saved and touched up the original logos although they are only in fair condition. New buckskin leather grip, new rug rest and leather side plate. This old gal still shoots really well. It's a fun bow to shoot if you like the old style long bows. This is a semi-recurve but would qualify as a longbow under NFAA rules as the string does not touch the limbs when strung. Hard Maple riser. Bow has no delamination; no cracks; limbs are straight. Polar Ice tip overlays. Tips are in great condition. Note: the original overlays were missing, so I added polar white micarta tip overlays. No drilled holes; No chips, dings or cracks. No crazing. A few minor stress lines, scratches and nicks here and there. This bow was put to a stress test (held at full draw for 16 hours to make sure the old glues still held and no stress cracks developed. Comes with a new rug rest and side plate as shown, and a new Dacron string.

This bow sold for \$32.50 in 1958, which translates to \$347 in 2024 inflation adjusted dollars.













## Bear Polar

Streamlined beauty with exceptional shooting qualities

POLAR'S sight window and center-shot features are popular with those who insist on every accuracy-contributing advantage in a bow.

A sleek, long-limbed, semi-recurved beauty, the POLAR incorporates many of the KODIAK'S graceful characteristics but without full-recurved ends. Exacting tournament and target shooters and selective bowhunters who prefer this type of bow find that POLAR meets their requirements with complete satisfaction.

Like all other Bear Bows, this model is faced and backed with Fiberglas, over a weight-saving hard maple core. POLAR is a featherlight bow having many shooting qualities usually found only in fully recurved bows, yet with all the inherent accuracy of straight bow design.

Length, 64". Draw limit, 30". Weights, 25 to 65 lbs.

Specify right or left hand and draw weight.

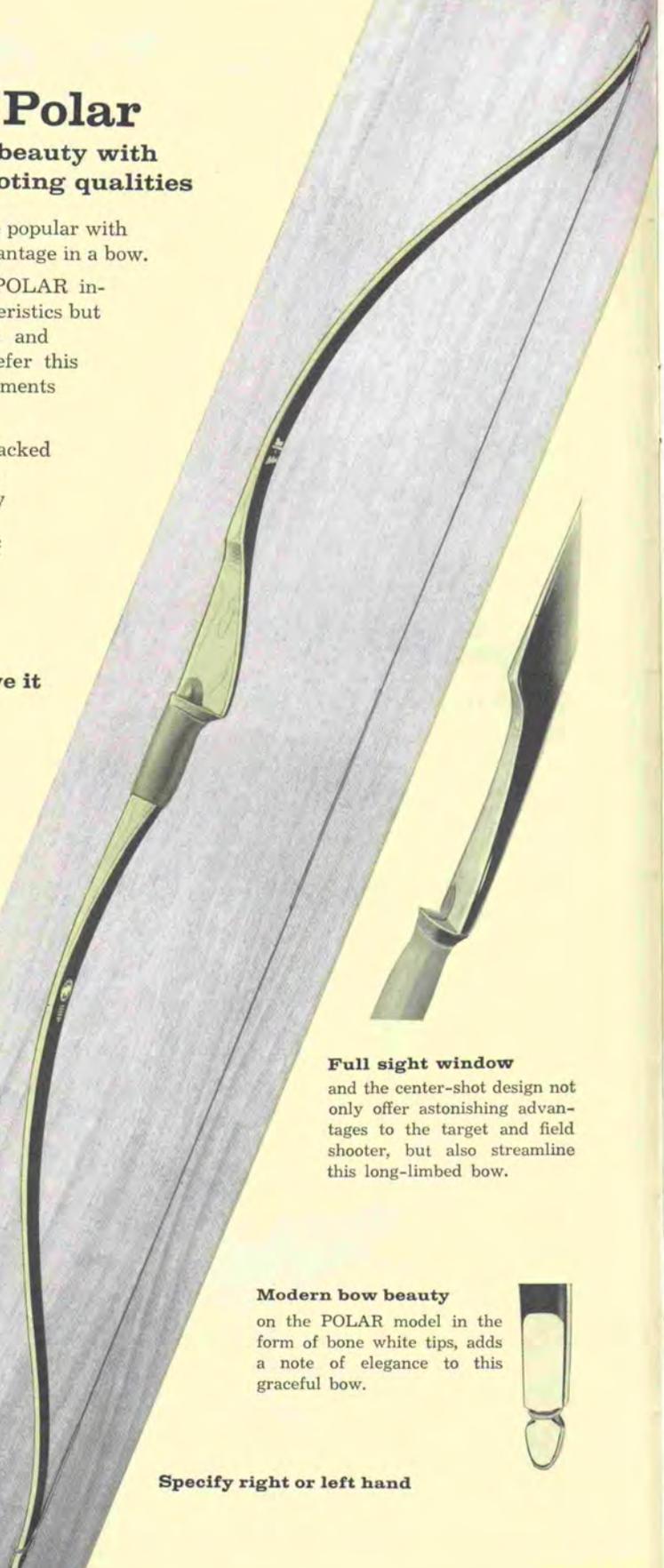
### "Feel" means so much . . . Bear Bows have it

Experienced archers know a good bow by "feel". That is why Bear Bows are the most popular for tournaments where they outnumber any other make two to one. They are favorites, too, in the ranks of the bowhunter, another good reason for your selection of the best. Every true bowman knows that the name BEAR on archery equipment means highest quality, years of pleasure-giving performance.

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**Full sight window**  
and the center-shot design not only offer astonishing advantages to the target and field shooter, but also streamline this long-limbed bow.

**Modern bow beauty**  
on the POLAR model in the form of bone white tips, adds a note of elegance to this graceful bow.



Specify right or left hand